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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF BAY COUNTRY COMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES WITHIN THE STATE OF DELAWARE (SUBMITTED DECEMBER 1, 2015; FILED JANUARY 20, 2016)	) ) ) )	PSC DOCKET NO. 16-1606
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PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: ALL PERSONS MAKING TELEPHONE CALLS WITHIN SUSSEX COUNTY IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE, TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS PROVIDING TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE WITHIN SUSSEX COUNTY IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

Pursuant to 26 Del. C. §203A and 26 Del. Admin. C. §4001-4.0, Bay Country Communications, Inc. (“Bay Country” or the “Applicant”), with authority to transact business in the State of Delaware, has applied to the Delaware Public Service Commission (“Commission”) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) to provide telecommunications services to the public within Sussex County, in the State of Delaware.

The Commission has been authorized by the General Assembly to foster and promote the competitive provision of intrastate telecommunications services, where appropriate, within the State of Delaware. See 26 Del. C. §703. Pursuant to such authority and the Rules and Regulations of the Commission, the Commission proposes to grant the requested CPCN to the Applicant. The Commission Staff is reviewing the application and will determine if the Applicant has satisfied the criteria for intrastate telecommunications services under Delaware law.

Any person who wishes to protest or to comment upon this application must do so in a written document filed with the Commission on or before February 18, 2016. In the absence of any good faith protest, the Commission will grant the Applicant a CPCN.

The Commission’s mailing address for the filing of any protests or comments is:

Delaware Public Service Commission  
861 Silver Lake Boulevard  
Cannon Building, Suite 100  
Dover, Delaware 19904  
Attention: PSC Docket No. 15-1606

You are invited to review the Applicant’s filed application and supporting documents to determine how your interests may be affected. You may review documents by going to DelaFile (<http://depssc.delaware.gov/>), the

Commission’s file management system, and by searching for Docket No. 15-1606. If you would like to review documents at the Commission’s office, please contact Toni Loper at [Toni.Loper@state.de.us](mailto:Toni.Loper@state.de.us) to arrange a time for your review. You may also review copies of the Applicant’s filed application and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at the 29 South State Street, Dover, DE 19901. Please call (302) 241-2545 to arrange for a time to review the documents at that location.

If required the Applicant will file with the Commission an illustrative tariff that sets out the terms and conditions under which it will offer its telecommunications services in Delaware. Because this is a competitive provision of such telecommunications services, the Commission will not make a determination that the tariff provisions or the proposed rates are just and reasonable.

The Applicant is not regulated by the Commission as a monopoly service provider. The Commission is relying on the competitive marketplace to determine acceptable terms and rates for the various competitive telecommunications services offered by this company and, therefore, ALL PROSPECTIVE CUSTOMERS ARE ADVISED TO VERY CAREFULLY REVIEW THE TERMS, CONDITIONS OF SERVICE AND RATES BEFORE SUBSCRIBING.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, you must submit a written request to the Commission either by mail, fax, hand-delivery, or filling in the online FOIA request form located at the Delaware Department of State’s website: <http://smu.portal.delaware.gov/cgi-bin/mail.php?foia-request&subj=DOS>.

Any individual with a disability who wishes to participate in this matter or to review the Applicant’s filed application or supporting documents should contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aides or services needed to facilitate such review or participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, or telephonically (including the use of the Telecommunications Relay Service). The Commission’s toll-free telephone number (within Delaware) is 800-282-8574. Persons with any disability who have questions may also contact the Commission by either text-telephone (“TT”) or regular telephone at 302-736-7500.

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